#### STATE OF IOWA

### DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

#### UTILITIES BOARD

IN RE:

DUSTIN HOBBS.

Complainant,

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IES UTILITIES INC., n/k/a INTERSTATE POWER AND LIGHT COMPANY,

Respondent.

### ORDER GRANTING MOTION TO FILE REPLY BRIEF

(Issued April 5, 2001)

On September 4, 2001, Dustin Hobbs filed with the Utilities Board (Board) an informal complaint against IES Utilities Inc., n/k/a Interstate Power and Light Company (IES), concerning the transfer of an unpaid balance for gas and electric service at 1010 S. 4th Street in Burlington, Iowa, from the account of Michael and Heidi Spiker to Mr. Hobbs' account at 404 S. Main in Danville, Iowa. On December 18, 2001, the Board issued an order that opened a formal complaint docket and established a procedural schedule for the parties to file prefiled testimony and scheduled an evidentiary hearing.

Briefs have been filed in this matter by Mr. Hobbs, IES, and the Consumer Advocate Division of the Department of Justice. On April 1, 2002, Mr. Hobbs filed a

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motion to file a reply brief. The Board finds this motion reasonable and will establish a date for all parties to file reply briefs.

# IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED:

Reply briefs may be filed on or before April 12, 2002.

### **UTILITIES BOARD**

	/s/ Diane Munns
ATTEST:	/s/ Mark O. Lambert
/s/ Judi K. Cooper Executive Secretary	/s/ Elliott Smith

Dated at Des Moines, Iowa, this 5<sup>th</sup> day of April, 2002.